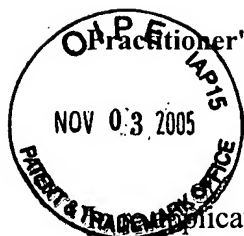


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Practitioner's Docket No. RAR471.01

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Doyle W. Eakin
Serial No.: 10/656,714
Filed: 09/04/2003
For: Plant Pot Drainage Tray

Group No.: 3643
Examiner: Valenti, Andrea M.

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
(37 C.F.R. 1.114)

1. Applicant hereby requests continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. Section 1.114, for the above identified application.

TIME REQUEST IS BEING MADE

2. This request is being submitted:
 - i. Prior to payment of issue fee.

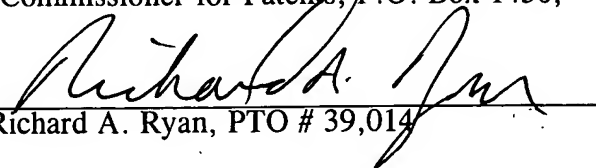
STATUS

3. Applicant is a small entity. A small entity statement was previously filed.

Certificate of Express Mailing - 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

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I hereby certify that the papers and/or fees identified in this letter are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to Box RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.


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EXTENSION OF TERM

4. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for three (3) months:

Fee: \$510.00

ENCLOSURES

5. Enclosed herewith are:

- a) An amendment
- b) Credit Card Payment Form

FEE FOR REQUEST (37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(e)).

6. This application is on behalf of:

A small entity - Continued Prosecution Request Fee: \$395.00

FEE FOR CLAIMS

7. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col.1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Addit. Fee
Total	20	Minus	20	= 0	x \$25 = \$0
Indep.	3	Minus	3	= 0	x \$100 = \$0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					+ \$180 = \$0
Total					Addit. Fee \$0

No additional fee for claims is required.

EXTENSION OF TIME

TOTAL FEE(S) DUE

8. The total fee(s) due is/are:

Extension of time for response \$510.00

Continued Prosecution Fee (Section 1.17(e)) \$395.00

Fee(s) for additional claims (Section 1.16(b)-(d)) \$ 0.00

Total Fee(s) Due: \$905.00

PAYMENT OF FEE(S) DUE

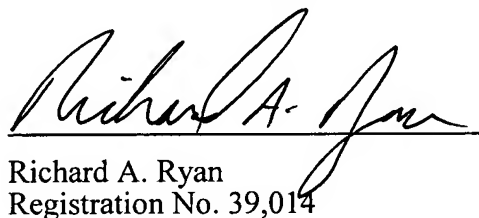
9. Please pay the fee(s) for this continued examination application as follows:

PTO Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$905.00.

INVENTORSHIP

10. This application as amended names as inventors the same inventors as previously designated for the claims.

Date: 11/3/2005


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